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You've heard it before: Eagles have a fourth-quarter lead. You know how it ends — until last night. Is a streak alive? Vince Young wins in his starting debut, 17-10. {page 21}

Marathon marred by two finish line deaths

- Two male runners, a 21-year-old and a 40-year-old, succumb to heart failure
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Ruling expected soon on Occupy move

The short Thanksgiving work week will be an important one for Occupy Philly on the heels of two days of arrests Thursday and Friday and a members' vote to apply for a permit to move their encampment out of Dilworth Plaza.

The group voted Friday to allow their legal collective to apply for a permit to relocate to the Municipal Services Building's plaza across the street from City Hall, but said it must include allowances for a 24-hour occupation with tents and warming stations.

There has been speculation that lawmakers will issue a permit for Thomas Paine Plaza, but stipulate that the occupation cannot be full time or involve tents.

The members' vote came at about the same time 14 people were arrested Friday when Occupy Philly waged a two-hour protest against predatory lending practices at a downtown Wells Fargo bank. A decision is expected to come in the next couple of days. Mayor Michael Nutter is reportedly still reviewing terms of the permit and said he will not evict Occupy Philly until he has finished the process. METRO/AW

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▶ To move or not to move?

Tragedy strikes on marathon day

Two runners struck down near finish line by what officials initially ruled heart attacks ◐ 10 others injured ◐ More than 25,000 participated

Two runners died during the Philadelphia Marathon yesterday morning.

The first death occurred when a 21-year-old Asian male, reportedly a University of Pennsylvania student, collapsed at the finish line in the 2200 block of the Ben Franklin Parkway. The second death occurred when a 40-year-old white male fell a quarter of a mile before the finish line.

Both were taken to Hahnemann University Hospital and pronounced dead of apparent heart attacks. They had been competing in the half-marathon, according to reports.

At least 10 other runners were reportedly hospitalized, as well, in unknown conditions due to the strain of the long run. Some runners expressed surprise at the deaths and injuries considering the near perfect weather conditions. The temperatures were in the high-50s and low-60s by the midmorning.

The Philadelphia Marathon was founded in 1954 and is the culmination of weekend-long health and fitness expo. More than 25,000 runners participated in the sold-out event this year, which also includes a half marathon and an 8k.

Race director Melanie Johnson said in a statement, "Philadelphia Marathon and Philadelphia Half Marathon organizers extend our deepest sympathies to the families of the two runners who lost their lives at the Philadelphia Marathon and Half Marathon today. We are deeply saddened and our thoughts are with their families and friends.

"We cannot at this time disclose the identities of the runners pending notification of the families. We will provide more information as it becomes available."

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▶ This female runner, who was not identified, also needed emergency help during the run.

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DUI eyed in road death

KENSINGTON. A bicyclist was killed Friday night by an alleged drunk driver who went on to hit five cars in what was his second DUI of the day, police said.

Brett Truskin, 22, of Ivyland, hit the bicyclist head on, then slammed into parked cars on and around East Lehigh Avenue.

Truskin was charged with homicide by vehicle while DUI, involuntary manslaughter and related offenses.

Truskin was also arrested early Friday morning and charged with DUI for his alleged involvement in a three-vehicle crash on I-95, but was released after posting bail.

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Man killed in crossfire

SOUTHWEST PHILADELPHIA. A middle-aged man was shot to death Saturday afternoon.

The victim, 56, was shot once in the buttocks at 54th Street and Gibson Drive around 3:22 p.m. He was reportedly caught in the crossfire of a shootout.

The man was taken to the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, where he was pronounced dead at 3:49 p.m.

No arrests have yet been made. METRO/AW

In the news

Grossout on Chinatown bus ride

A Brooklyn, N.Y., man, who a fellow rider aptly called a "jerk-off," was reportedly arrested Saturday for masturbating on the Philadelphia-New York Chinatown bus. Despite pretending to sleep, Genrong Zhang, 39, was taken into custody after the bus driver pulled over. METRO

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Metro's Man and Woman of the Year: Take your pick

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MAN AND WOMAN OF THE YEAR
2011

For the past two years, Metro has asked its readers to nominate the man and woman who affected news headlines to the greatest extent over the year.

Today, we launch our 2011 Man and Woman of the Year event — but as we do so, we acknowledge that the winners this year may be a group of people rather than individuals.

How can we ignore the claims of the Occupy Wall Street movement, whose activities have dominated the news headlines for the last two months? Others may feel it right to nominate the 1 percent.

We feel certain that many readers will wish to nominate Navy SEAL Team 6, the group of warriors who killed Osama bin Laden.

As we look back over 2011, we remember the people of Egypt, the activists of the Arab Spring and those who fought for regime change in Libya.

Naturally, some readers will wish to nominate individuals. President Barack Obama ordered the bin Laden mission; and on the basis that he was hardly out of the headlines all year until his death last month, who can ignore the nomination of Muammar Gaddafi?

When the U.S. federal government faced a shutdown in April, House of Representatives Speaker John Boehner was in the thick of the conflict.

Also in April, Prince William and Kate Middleton had the world enthralled with their fairy tale wedding at Westminster Abbey. METRO

They made the news: You decide

Nominations open today and will continue until 5 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 9.

In the Metro edition of Monday, Dec. 12, we will publish a shortlist of those receiving the most nominations, and will invite readers to vote for their favorites.

Metro's Man and Woman (or People) of the Year will be announced in Metro's special end-of-year edition, published on Monday, Dec. 26.

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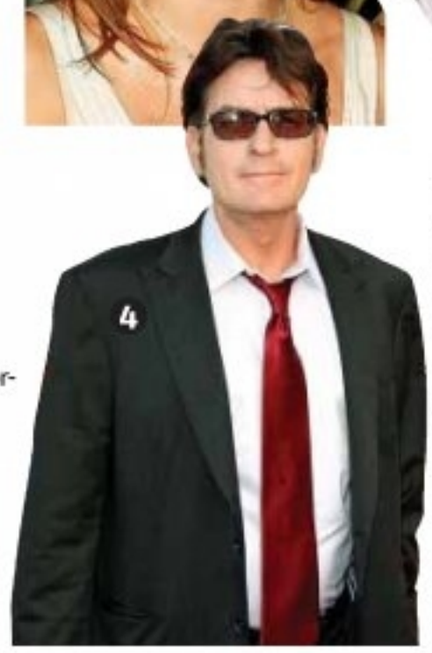
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Other potential nominees:

1. Dominique Strauss-Khan, former head of the International Monetary Fund, was forced from his job over criminal charges that he had sexually assaulted a New York hotel maid, Nafissatou Diallo. Should either be nominated?

2. TV reporter Lara Logan forced the world to confront some ugly truths about the treatment of women in Arab countries when she was sexually assaulted by a mob of men in Tahir Square, Cairo, during the Egyptian uprisings. Her bravery and fortitude, despite a terrible ordeal, impressed many.

3. Media mogul Rupert Murdoch and his former sidekick Rebekah Brooks entertained us all for several weeks during the summer as they fought off claims that News of the World reporters had hacked into the cell phones of thousands of people.

4. Were Charlie Sheen's antics as he departed from the comedy "Two and a Half Men" an outburst of insanity or a cool PR stunt? Either way – he dominated the headlines for several weeks.

5. Casey Anthony was acquitted of murdering her daughter Caylee in a July trial that was followed closely by millions.

6. The music world lost a tortured genius when Amy Winehouse was found dead at her London home in July. She drank herself to death, but leaves a lasting musical legacy.

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Man or Woman of the Year:

- To **nominate** someone from **Man or Woman of the Year**, e-mail us at **mwoty@metro.us** and tell us, in 100 words or fewer, why they deserve the title.
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- Readers will be able to vote on a shortlist of nominees from **Monday, Dec. 12** to **Thursday, Dec. 22.**

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TOYS FOR TOTS

About a month before Christmas, gifts have been steadily coming into Metro's Philadelphia office for Metro Magic. Marine Corps Staff Sgt. Ricky Wilson talked to Metro about the Toys for Tots effort that benefits needy children in the Philadelphia area.

Last year was tough for many families given the economy. Did you see a difference in donations?
It's kind of hard to say. Last year, it dropped by about 5,000 donations from the last few years.

About how many gifts did you distribute last year?
We distributed 25,745 donations to 6,170 children, so each child received about four toys.

How much does the average donated toy cost?
They range anywhere from $5 to $30, so I would say the average cost is about $15.

If a family is in need, how can they sign up to receive a gift?
I usually work with local organizations in the community that are affiliated with schools. Families that are in need of toys, they go through the local organizations. They register through the local organizations and the organizations will turn the paperwork in. We fill the orders and then the organization will then deliver the toys to the families.

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SEPTA free rides arrive later this weekend

SEPTA is already in the holiday spirit.

For Thanksgiving weekend, weekly and monthly TransPass and TrailPass holders can get a free ride for their traveling companions as part of the "Thanks+Giving" campaign. November pass holders will receive two coupons, which are good for one free round trip for a friend or family member between Nov. 24 and Nov. 27 when traveling with a pass-holder.

The coupons will be accepted on all SEPTA vehicles and customers can also request free transfers.

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▶ Welcome aboard.

On Nov. 25, riders can also hop aboard SEPTA's Santa Express for an 11 a.m. parade featuring Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus at The Gallery at Market East. Those who ride on designated Santa Express trains will receive a free one-way trip to Center City thanks to Constellation Energy.

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‘Libyan drama,’ Act 2: Gaddafi son captured

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▶ Saif al-Islam, seen here in Tripoli in the early hours of Aug. 23, 2011, was the smiling face of the Gaddafi power structure. He won personal credibility at the highest echelons of international society — especially in London, where he helped tidy up the reputation of Libya with reformist politics.

Muammar’s favorite son pushed against the dictator, fled Libya and then returned to fight his father’s war

How it happened

- **“We fired in the air and into the ground in front of them,”** said Ahmed Ammar, one of the 15 fighters who captured the Gaddafi heir.
- **“Who are you?”** said al-Ajami Ali al-Atari, the leader of the squad. **“Abdelsalam,”** came the reply. **“I am a camel herder.”** (A common name, it means “servant of peace” in Arabic; Saif al-Islam’s real name means “Sword of Islam.”)
- Ammar said: **“I know who you are. I know you.”**
- Atari says, **“Saif jumped out and tried to take cover behind the car.”**
- **“But when we told him to surrender he did,”** Atari said.

The chic black sweater and jeans were gone. So too the combat T-shirt of his televised last stand in Tripoli.

But the rimless glasses, framing those piercing eyes above the fine nose, gave him away despite the flowing nomad robes held close across his face.

Saif al-Islam Gaddafi, doctor of the London School of Economics, was once a reformer but became the scourge of those rebeling against his dictator father. Now he’s a prisoner bundled aboard an old Libyan air force transport plane near the oil-drilling outpost of Obari, deep in the Sahara desert.

“I told him he would not be beaten and he wouldn’t be hurt and I gave my word.”
ABDULLAH AL-MEHDI, PILOT

The interim government’s spokesman billed it as the “final act of the Libyan drama.” But there would be no closing soliloquy from the scion of the dynasty that Muammar Gaddafi, self-styled “king of kings,” had once hoped might rule Africa.

The capture of Saif al-Islam is the latest dramatic chapter in the series of revolts that have swept the Arab world. The first uprising toppled the Ben Ali government in Tunisia early this year.

The upheaval spread to Egypt, forcing out longtime ruler Hosni Mubarak in February, and then swept Libya, where the capital Tripoli fell to rebels this summer and Muammar Gaddafi died after being beaten and abused by captors last month. It’s now threatening the Assad family’s four-decade grip on Syria. **REUTERS**

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Newt slithers into lead for GOP race

Gingrich benefiting from Cain fallout Republican candidate takes little heat from mortgager payouts

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▶ Gingrich

Presidential candidate Newt Gingrich has roared into the lead of the Republican nominating race, brushing off concerns about his work for a troubled housing company, a Reuters/Ipsos poll showed.

Twenty-four percent of registered Republican voters would support the former speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives if the contest were held now, an increase of eight percentage points from roughly a week ago, according to the poll, which was conducted on Nov. 18-19.

Mitt Romney, the former Massachusetts governor who has stayed near the top of most polls, garnered support from 22 percent of Republicans, slumping 6 percentage points from the last survey conducted on November 10-11 and ending up essentially tied with Gingrich.

Despite allegations of questionable business ties, Gingrich is the latest favorite of conservative Republicans eager for an alternative to Romney, whom they see as too moderate.

In a sign of further relief for Gingrich, 46 percent of Republicans said the revelations that he had received up to $1.8 million in consulting fees from mortgage giant Freddie Mac had no impact on their view of the candidate.

Thirty-one percent said the issue left them with a less favorable opinion of Gingrich, who has criticized Freddie Mac sharply in the past. REUTERS

▶ "Art" is by Gergely Takats.

Metro photo of the day

Congratulations to Gergely Takats from Hungary, winner of Thursday's Photo of the Day theme, "art." Entries for the competition are now closed. For more info, visit www.metrophotochallenge.com.

Reports indicate failure for debt deal

WASHINGTON. The congressional deficit-reduction committee is likely to concede failure in its efforts to strike a deal barring an unforeseen breakthrough to bridge deep partisan differences over taxes and spending, congressional aides said.

The announcement of failure would come today, aides from the Republican and Democratic camps told Reuters yesterday, shortly after several lawmakers on the bipartisan 12-member "super committee" cast strong doubts about a deal on the Sunday talk shows.

On NBC's "Meet the Press" program, neither Republican Senator Jon Kyl nor Democratic Senator John Kerry gave any indication a deal was near. REUTERS

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Egyptians take streets to protest army rule

CAIRO. Emboldened by their success in toppling Hosni Mubarak nine months ago, experienced protesters in Cairo's Tahrir Square encouraged each other on Sunday to hold their ground as the police fired canister after canister of tear gas. "Don't run, that just provokes them to fire more," shouted one protester to others fleeing a hail of metal cans. **REUTERS**

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The death toll since the violence erupted on Saturday reached at least five, according to the Health Ministry, cited by the state news agency. Other medical sources said it was more than 11 on Sunday alone.

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▶ Police who sprayed peaceful protesters have been suspended with pay pending an investigation.

The fallout

LOS ANGELES. The move announcing the task force came after Katehi came under criticism from members of her own faculty. "You are responsible for the police violence directed against students on the UC Davis quad on Nov. 18, 2011," one assistant professor wrote. **REUTERS**

Police pepper spray probed at UC Davis

After initially supporting the brutal cop crackdown, Calif. university head promises a quick investigation

The University of California, Davis said it would launch an investigation over video footage that appeared to show campus police using pepper spray against seated student protesters at close range.

YouTube video footage of a policeman in riot gear using pepper spray on a group of roughly a dozen student protesters in the university's quad area spread quickly over the Internet, sparking outrage among some university faculty members.

"Yesterday was not a day that would make anyone on our campus proud," UC Davis Chancellor Linda P.B. Katehi wrote. "As indicated in various videos, the police used pepper spray against the students who were blocking the way. The use of pepper spray as shown on the video is chilling to us all and raises many questions." **REUTERS**

West Coast chaos

Previous unrest surrounding protests in Oakland has helped rally support nationwide for the Occupy Wall Street movement that protests economic inequality. Police said they wouldn't allow another encampment.

"While peaceful forms of expression ... will be facilitated, acts of violence ... and overnight lodging will not be tolerated."
JOHNNA WATSON, POLICE SPOKESWOMAN

- Oakland police said they had a "non-confrontational strategy."
- Anti-Wall Street protesters took over a vacant lot and adjacent park in downtown Oakland over the weekend and erected a tent camp to replace one torn down by police, setting the stage for a potential showdown.

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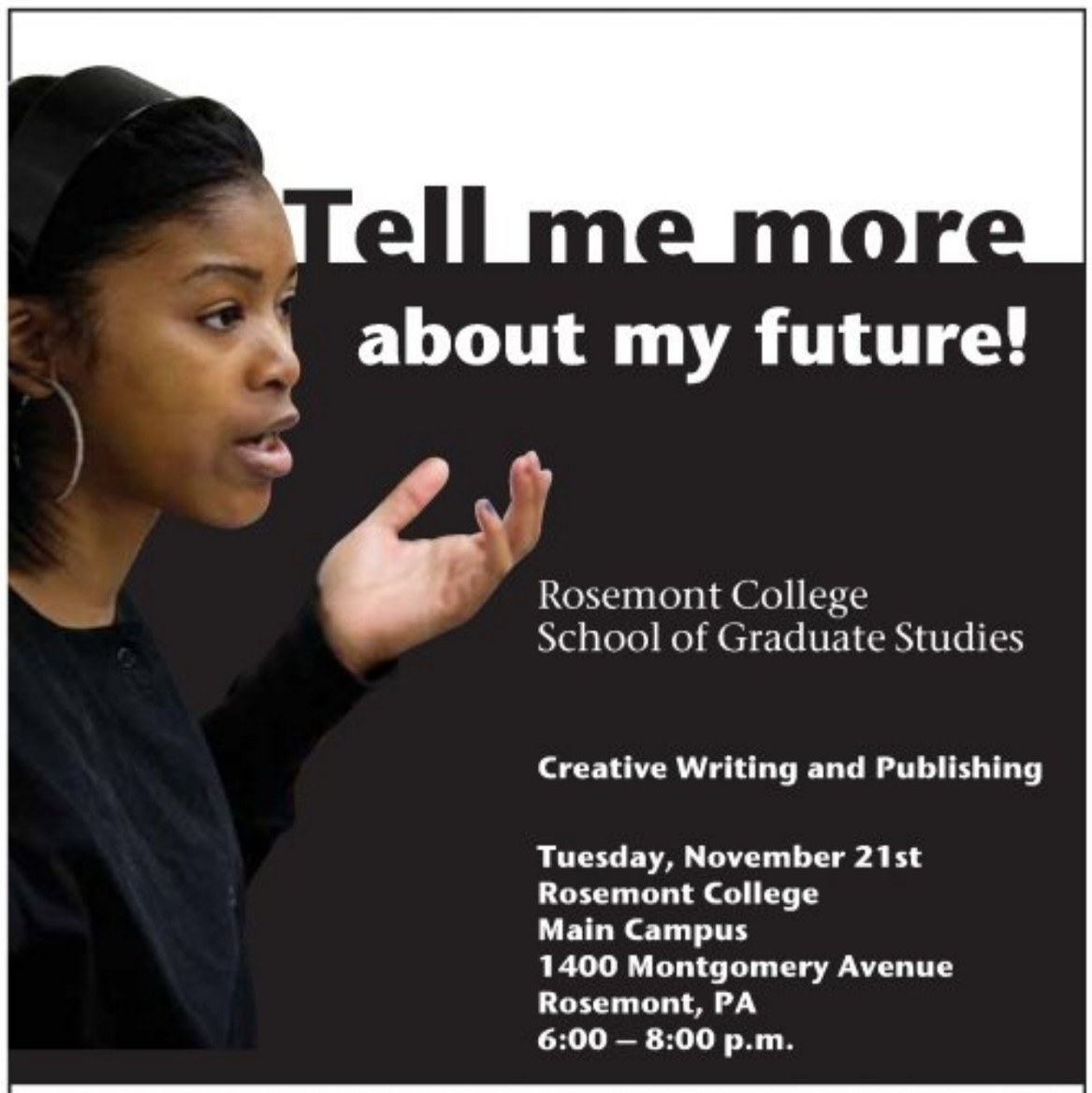

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Is Demi Moore into women?

Ashton Kutcher's alleged infidelity may have been the last straw in his marriage to **Demi Moore**, but sources tell Star magazine that the pair's "open marriage" had been a strain for years. "Everyone in Hollywood knows about their arrangement, but they've managed to keep it a secret from the general public," a source says. "Demi is attracted to women just as much as men, so she didn't always get all she needed from Ashton. She was cool with Ashton having flirtatious relationships, too. Somehow they made it work all these years. Both of them were respectful of each other. It was a lot of fun for them." But Kutcher's pair of cheating scandals — including his reported tryst with a young woman during his and Moore's sixth anniversary — were apparently too much for Moore, who filed for divorce late last week.

What PR person leaked that crazy information? Because, yeah, everyone knows so many marriages are broken up because the wife is hot, likes threesomes and is "cool" with outside arrangements. What horror that must have been for Kutcher! How he survived, I have no idea.

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▶ If Moore likes her marriages "open," how does she like her divorces?

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Biel plays mind tricks with us

Jessica Biel admits she keeps losing out on film roles to **Anne Hathaway**, with two recent instances that were particularly hard to take. First, there's the role of Catwoman in **Christopher Nolan**'s "The Dark Knight Rises," for which Biel hoped to audition. "[That was] another one that got away. I was gutted," she tells Elle. But that's not all: "I felt terrified when I auditioned for 'Les Miserables,' the movie that **Tom Hooper** is doing," she says. "I was terrified to sing in front of him. I auditioned for Fantine and I sang 'I Dreamed a Dream.' I didn't get it. And I would have loved it." Hathaway eventually won that role as well.

This is strange. Why in the world would Biel admit publicly that she is always losing out on roles — unless she wants people to think she's actually the same caliber as Anne Hathaway? Which, no, she's not. I might give her Katherine Heigl-level, but even that's a stretch.

▶ Biel

Talking points

Perry, Brand to start a family

When her tour wraps up this week, **Katy Perry** is reportedly planning to take some time off to "work on her family," according Hollyscoop. As to what needs work, sources say Perry and husband **Russell Brand** are looking to expand their household with a baby. "I would love to have children. I think that's one of the reasons you get married. Especially to the person that you marry. You think that person is going to be a good partner, a good parent," Perry said during a recent interview with **Ellen DeGeneres**. As for how many kids she and Brand may have? "If it doesn't hurt the first time, I'll keep popping them out," Perry said.

▶ Simpson

Simpson living in la-la land

Jessica Simpson isn't planning to let a little thing like labor stop her from being fashionable. "I'm probably going to deliver my baby in these," she tells Us Weekly, referring to her four-inch high heels. "I went to the doctor yesterday and he said, 'You're gonna need to get out of those heels!' I was like, 'Excuse me! I'll be delivering in these heels!" Simpson says she's been enjoying the chance to try less-than-traditional maternity clothing. "I like wearing things more fitted," she says. "You want to show off your bump. It's just so fun. You don't want to wear muumuus so you can moo around town."

Please save Rihanna!

Rihanna says she's currently single — and not loving it. "I'm not dating anyone right now. I'm not dating at all," she tells **Ellen DeGeneres**. "I'm not necessarily happy being single. It's not really that cool." But if she were to start dating someone, she'd need him to take charge, she admits. "You know, I can't really be the man for you. I don't want to have to be," Rihanna says. "I'm the man at work all the time. I do put a lot into my job. Most of my time, if not all of it. It definitely affects my personal life."

Rihanna

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The feed ...

Checking in with some of Hollywood's biggest names to see what they've been up to — in their own words, in 140 characters or fewer.

Mindy Kaling is exploring new products, Jeremy Piven is trying to understand, Russell Brand is getting creative and Sarah Silverman enjoys doing chores.

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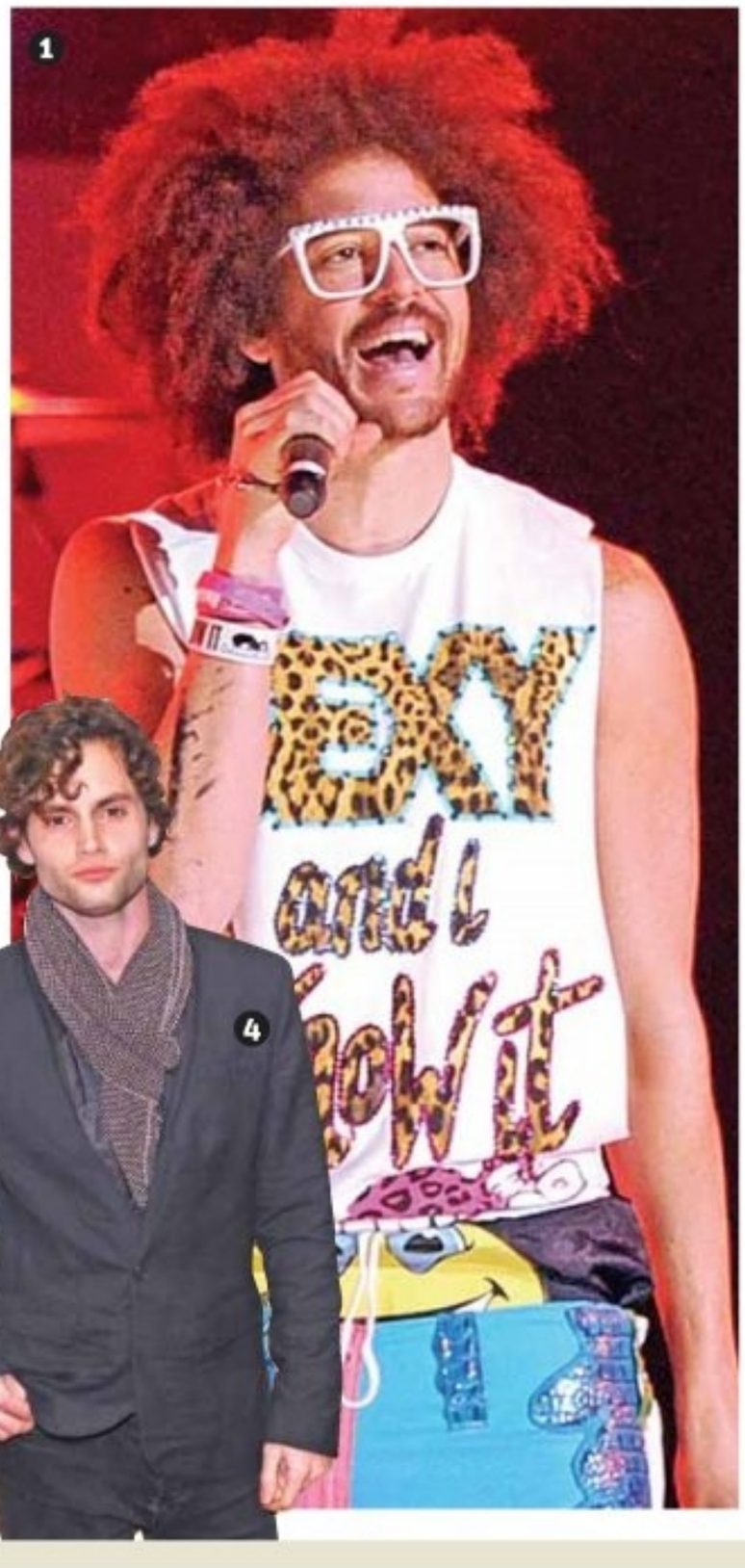

▶ 1: Redfoo of the group LMFAO at the Saturday rehearsals for the 2011 American Music Awards in Los Angeles.
▶ 2: A very skinny Perez Hilton attended the search for a new model for Madonna's Material Girl clothing line at The Beverly Center on Saturday in Los Angeles.
▶ 3: The lockout doesn't concern him too much: NBA player Marcus Banks and friends celebrated his birthday at the Chateau Nightclub & Gardens at the Paris Las Vegas on Saturday in Las Vegas.
▶ 4: Penn Badgley attended the "Gossip Girl" 100 episode celebration at Cipriani Wall Street on Saturday in New York City.
▶ 5: Sarah Silverman, Will Arnett and Amy Poehler posed backstage at Variety's Power of Comedy presented at Hollywood Palladium on Saturday in Hollywood.
▶ 6: Charlize Theron showed a little leg at the screening of her new film, "Young Adult," at the Tribeca Grand Screening Room on Friday in New York City.
▶ 7: What's this? There's a "Rocky" musical in Germany? Awesome. Here's Sylvester Stallone at the photocall for the new show on Sunday in Hamburg.

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Series premiere, 9 p.m., Travel Channel

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'2 Broke Girls'

COMEDY. The girls work as Santa's little helpers at a department store's holiday display to earn extra cash. Hey Max, how many politically incorrect jokes about elves can you rattle off?
8:30 p.m., CBS AMBER RAY

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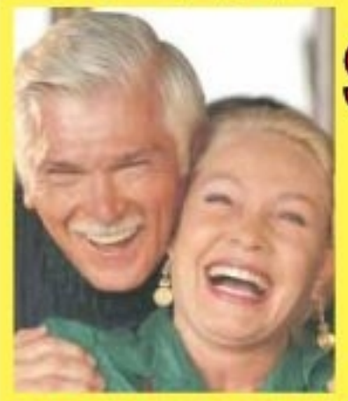

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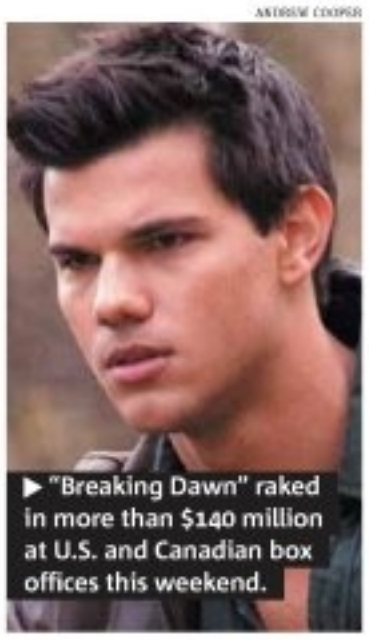
▶ "Breaking Dawn" raked in more than $140 million at U.S. and Canadian box offices this weekend.

For the fourth installment of the "Twilight" franchise, Taylor Lautner knew he was going to be in for some pretty bizarre stuff — even for a franchise about vampires, werewolves and moody teens. His character, the werewolf Jacob, finds himself in the awkward position of "imprinting" on Renesmee, the newborn daughter of Bella (Kristen Stewart) and Edward (Robert Pattinson). "That was ... tough," Lautner admits. "Because what is imprinting? What do you look like when you imprint?"

For the uninitiated, imprinting is what happens when a werewolf finds his soulmate, at least in author Stephenie Meyer's world. "Luckily we had Stephenie on set the entire time, and trust me, I asked her a million times, 'OK, explain to me one more time what imprinting is exactly?'" Lautner says.

The business with the baby was something he'd been anticipating, of course, and he admits that while he gets the overall romance of the story, it does seem like an odd consolation prize. "I get a baby? Yeah, yeah. I have gotten over that by now," he says. "I remember the first time reading the book, I was so confused. I was like, 'Wait. He's trying to get Bella the whole time, and he strikes out so he goes with her child?'"

With filming on the franchise complete, Lautner is happy to put some aspects of "Twilight" behind him. Such as not wearing clothes, he says. "I love Vancouver, but we have to film when it's cold and rainy and gross, and the sun comes out and we've got to stop filming." ● NED EHRBAR

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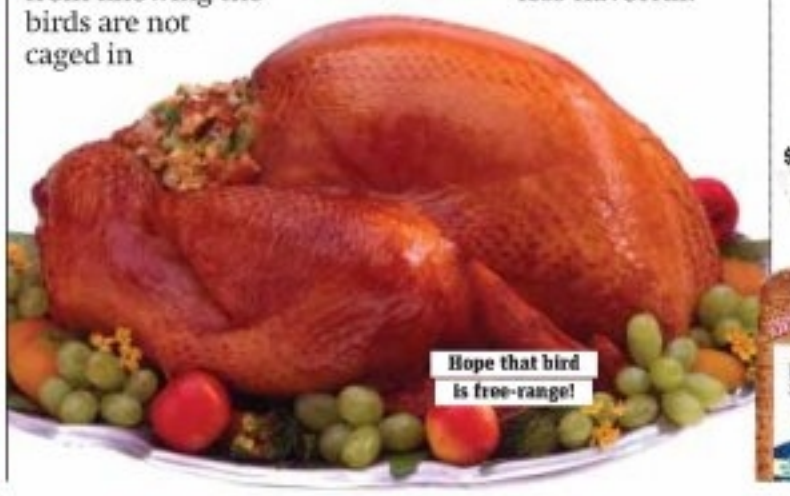

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▶ **Stuff only the turkey (not yourself).** Enjoy a bit of everything you like, but keep your portions in check. One plate of food filled with your favorite festive treats (no seconds, with the exception of veggies), one alcoholic beverage (if you drink) and a small serving of dessert (or a sliver of several items) is the perfect amount to satisfy without going overboard.

▶ **Lighten up the classics.** Sometimes you have to have the real thing (there's no messing with mom's stuffing). When it comes to less hallowed "supporting dishes," browse the Web for slimmed-down versions that make smart substitutions to trim excess calories and fat. For a healthy alternative to sugary sweet potato casserole, visit www.metro.us for my recipe.

▶ **Say bye-bye to leftovers.** If you're the host, pack up anything that might tempt you in subsequent days. Both your guests and your waistline will give thanks.

▶ **Get back on track.** The day after Thanksgiving, hit the gym and go right back to your regular, healthy eating routine.

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To give or not to give at work

Should you be hunting for gifts for co-workers on Black Friday? Keeping holidays happy at work

After spending 11 months as merely co-workers, the beginning of December heralds feelings of peace in cubicles and goodwill towards bosses. But before you make additions to your Black Friday shopping list, consider these tips from Lahle Wolfe, About.com's "Women in Business" expert. "With everyone worrying about their jobs and the economy, the last thing people should have to worry about is spending money on gifts they're unsure of," she says.

THE BOSS FACTOR

Should you even give your supervisor a gift? It depends. "Assess it the same way as that aunt you see once a year," advises Wolfe. "What's the relationship? Can you name the things outside the office that your boss likes? If not, then you don't know this person well enough to give them a gift."

While Wolfe does recommend homemade gifts or baked goods for closer peers, she discourages them for bosses — these can be interpreted as either intimate or unprofessional, neither of which you're going for.

BEWARE OF THE GAG GIFT

Increasingly, Wolfe sees offices encouraging gag gifts as part of "Secret Santa" or Pollyanna-style giving to alleviate pressure. But, she warns, this comes with its own set of problems. "A lot of offices do this, and it tends to make people uncomfortable and turn into teasing," she says. "When you target gifts like this, stick with something very neutral. Go with something you might give a child, so that's why it's a gag." Meaning, no cigars for the guy who is always on a smoke break, no watches for the co-worker who is always late, and no booze for the girl who can't say no to happy hour.

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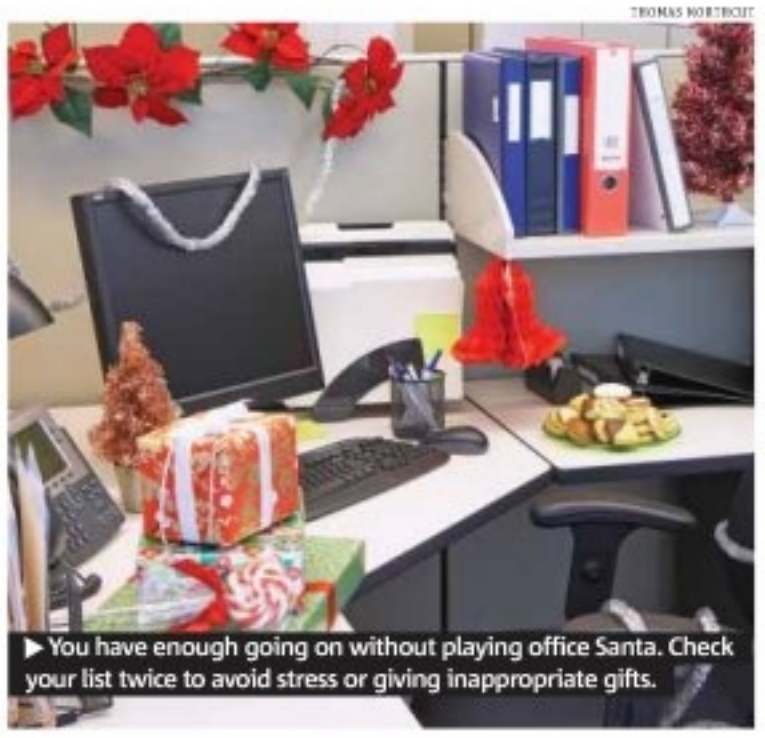

▶ You have enough going on without playing office Santa. Check your list twice to avoid stress or giving inappropriate gifts.

On the wording

Wishing someone "Merry Christmas" or "Happy Hanukkah" is perfectly fine, provided you're sure that's what the person celebrates. If there's a question, go with "Happy Holidays," even if it can sound stuffy. "In an office environment, handle it like you would in a public school," says Wolfe. "If you're uncertain how to say something, 'happy holidays' is a great neutral thing to say."

Never give ...

Wolfe is a fan of the iTunes gift card, where $10 can go a long way in getting someone through a long Monday morning. But whatever you do, don't give these:

- **Perfume and jewelry**
"Perfume or jewelry are sort of intimate — it says that you're paying attention," cautions Wolfe. "If it's something not generic enough that a guy or a girl could equally enjoy, it's probably a little too personal."
- **Scented items**
Many people are allergic to artificial scents or are just very particular about which ones they like. Again, cautions Wolfe, some people could interpret these as conveying intimacy — scents are personal.
- **Anything religious**
Generic holiday ornaments and greeting cards are fine, but stay away from anything that's directly faith-related.

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The hottest IT jobs for 2012

The more time we spend plugged in, the more new jobs evolve • Three careers that are heating up

The progression of technology brings the expansion of IT jobs, and 2012 will be no exception. With more businesses going digital and phrases like "cloud storage" becoming commonplace, the world of IT careers is budding with new opportunities. Robert Half Technology just released their list of the hottest jobs for 2012, many of them falling under the IT umbrella. Here are three that are especially promising.

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▶ There are now jobs to ensure that we have "positive digital experiences."

1 Mobile applications developer

Not surprisingly, this job comes out on top. Considering the long list of things you can do from your phone — banking, gaming and even video chatting — it's no wonder that this field is booming. "Mobile development has surpassed Web development and is now leading in shaping future professionals," says Leonardo Mattiazzi, vice president of international business at IT services company Ci&T.

2 User experience designer

UX designers, to those in the know, "create positive digital experiences," according to Robert Half Technology. Mattiazzi believes that the job description is blurring the lines and tapping into all sorts of creative talent. "Developers can no longer rely only on their technical skills, and UX designers can no longer rely only on their creative skills. The blending of UX skills and technical skills is becoming a de-facto demand," he says.

3 Data security analyst

This is the e-bouncer of a company. David Hurst, principal at the financial accounting and advisory firm WeiserMazars LLP, sees growth happening already. "Now that it's becoming feasible to break up complex business processes and execute different parts in different technologies on-site and in the Cloud, it is increasing the demand for architecture and integration skills to design and manage these complex multi-platform processes," Hurst says.

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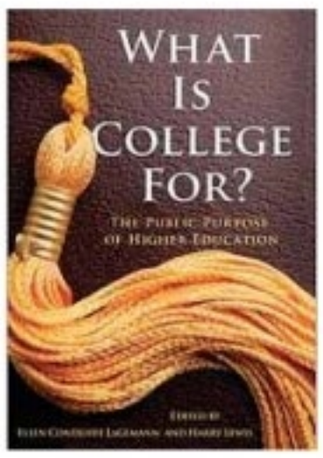

Tough questions for higher education

New book asks 'What Is College For?' Editor thinks that pursuit of profit is getting in the way of education

In 2008 and 2009, the John L. and Sue Ann Weinberg Foundation sponsored a series of seminars on higher education. Led by Ellen Condliffe Lagemann, the former dean of the Harvard Graduate School of Education, the panel of speakers represented some of the most respected higher education experts in the country.

The group noticed a theme emerging in their sessions: Almost every presenter felt Americans were loosing sight of the core values of higher education in pursuit of its economic benefits.

This month Lagemann, along with co-editor Harry Lewis, are releasing a book based on this quandary, featuring essays by a number of presenters from the Weinberg panel: "What Is College For? The Public Purpose of Higher Education."

"I feel we're suffering from a national myopia over a very limited kind of success when it comes to higher education. We seem to be obsessed with the economic impact," says Lewis, a professor at Harvard and the author of numerous other books, including "Excellence Without a Soul: Does Liberal Arts Education Have a Future?" "I think the education world has to take some responsibility for allowing this myopia to develop without fostering a discussion about how we're going to preserve education for the long haul."

"We're suffering from a national myopia over a very limited kind of success when it comes to higher education." LEWIS

But "What Is College For?" is a hopeful critique. In each of its six chapters, the authors seek to inspire readers to ask more of institutions and students alike.

"Right now there's a lot being written about the failures of higher education. This volume is not designed to say that higher education is a failure or success," says Lewis. "We're trying to stimulate a discussion about what its purposes are, so you can have a reasonable conversation. There isn't much value in that argument if you can't agree on the basic purpose of education."

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▶ Graduate schools are attracting more international students.

More international students coming to US for grad school

American campuses are becoming increasingly popular destinations for international students who want to attend grad school, according to new research. The Council of Graduate schools reports that new enrollment from foreign students increased by eight percent in 2011. There hasn't been gain that significant since 2006. International students make up about 14.2 percent of the country's entire graduate student body.

Several U.S. graduate enrollment programs from other countries have progressed, most notably China. The presence of Chinese grad students in America grew by 21 percent. That's compared to a growth of 20 percent, 16 percent and 14 percent in each of the past three years.

Coming to the U.S. for grad school is also popular in the Middle East, which had an enrollment eight percent higher than last year.

India also had a modest gain with two percent more students in American programs this year. South Korea is a different story, though. With a steady decrease of students from the country coming to enroll in U.S. grad schools, this year the rate fell flat.

The most popular programs among international students are arts and humanities, business, education, engineering, life sciences, physical and Earth sciences, social sciences and psychology. Private institutions remain more popular than public colleges.

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Plagiarism: The most ripped-off sources

Plagiarism is an unfortunate fact of college life, and the Internet has only made things easier for students looking to copy and paste. A generation or two ago, it meant taking phrases straight from a book or even someone else's paper without properly citing them. Today, though, plagiarism is almost strictly cyber.

A new study, "Plagiarism and the Web: A Comparison of Internet Sources for Secondary and Higher Education Students," has revealed the most common sources to be plagiarized. Campus Technology reports that 33.5 million papers were analyzed over a one-year period for the study. The researchers found more than 128 million instances of Web plagiarism in the papers.

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Wikipedia was the most plagiarized source among both secondary students (7.99 percent) and college students (10.74 percent). Other information sites that were frequently plagiarized included Yahoo answers, Answers.com, eNotes, Slideshare and Appapers.com.

The more popular sources for plagiarism, though, were social media sites that are used for content sharing. Facebook is among these sources and is frequently plagiarized by both secondary and college students, according to the report. CASSANDRA GARRISON

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Some support for protesters

Counter-protesters to the OWS movement chant "Get a job!" Problem is that the protesters are demonstrating against the fact that corporate America is back to making profits yet won't give them jobs. **DAVID DIBELLO, VIA E-MAIL**

As a small-business owner watching the slowly controlled demise of the greatest country on Earth, I am appalled by the amount of people that are bad-mouthing the Tea Party or OWS protests. Wake up and notice the government intentionally devaluing the dollar. Get off your La-Z-Boy and fight for your freedom.
ALEX TISCHENKO, VIA E-MAIL

The OWS movement has some valid points, but corporate greed and corruption do not begin and end with Wall Street. They should be protesting in the halls of Congress and the White House. Our politicians are bought and paid for by big business.
PAT CROCE, VIA E-MAIL

The backlash is piling up, too

RE: "OCCUPY HEARTS AND MINDS": I can't agree with Mr. Simms that the OWS movement has countless supporters. Americans are much more well-tempered and well-behaved than people in other countries. In these tough times we have to feed and raise children, work and buy goods — and we deserve good rest, too. Occupants are turning to extremists very easily and this nuisance has to come to an end. There are plenty of jobs around, but these runny-nosed youths want $60K right now. That will never happen. So do not invite us, Mr. Simms, to participate in vandalism, hooliganism and other "isms."
ELENA BRIO, VIA E-MAIL

It's apparent that the OWS movement has run its course. The core message of America being taken over by corporations is being lost. OWS is only antagonizing the 99 percent. OWS needs the people to support them, not fear them.
LEONARD WILSON, VIA E-MAIL

Yelling in the streets gets you nowhere. A better idea is to fight corruption from our living rooms by contacting elected officials and voicing our complaints in writing.
FRANK ST. GEORGE, VIA E-MAIL

It is disappointing that the most publicized conflict during the recent escalated Wall Street protests has been with police officers and not with the greed-obsessed financial powers that inspired Occupy.
DAVID TERHUNE, VIA E-MAIL

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Horoscope

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♐ Sagittarius **Nov. 23-Dec. 21.** Your farsightedness is remarkable, and it could help you visualize exactly the right game plan to follow. Work on some future hopes that you'd like to bring into being.
♑ Capricorn **Dec. 22-Jan. 19.** It's not always possible, but your perspicuity could help you visualize what's coming down the line, which will aid you in marshaling the appropriate forces.
♒ Aquarius **Jan. 20-Feb. 19.** Have confidence in your own convictions. If you believe you have a good idea for something, don't let others discourage you from following through on it.
♓ Pisces **Feb. 20-March 20.** Watch out for someone who tries to get you to change something that is of personal benefit in order to make it into a windfall for them. Of course, they won't phrase it that way.
♈ Aries **March 21-April 19.** If you're reluctant to make a necessary decision in a timely manner, someone you'd disapprove of is likely to step up and make that call for you. Don't let that happen.
♉ Taurus **April 20-May 20.** Dedicate your time and effort to the tasks that you dislike doing the most. The relief it would give you will be a huge weight off your shoulders.
♊ Gemini **May 21-June 20.** Even if you have a full schedule planned, try to find a bit of time to enjoy a momentarily pleasurable pursuit. The relief would give you the energy to happily continue onward.
♋ Cancer **June 21-July 22.** Try not to get yourself involved in a project that once started demands to be finished. If you do, make sure your entire day is cleared to do nothing else.
♌ Leo **July 23-Aug. 22.** If you learn that some information you have at your disposal would be of tremendous help to another, do your best to get it to that person. Chances are you'd make a friend for life.
♍ Virgo **Aug. 23-Sept. 22.** Being prudent is likely to ensure that you'll be able to enjoy success and the finer things down the line. When that time comes, you'll be glad of your sensible behavior.
♎ Libra **Sept. 23-Oct. 23.** Once you make an important, carefully considered decision, have the courage of your convictions to stand by your resolution. Being wishy-washy won't help anyone. **BERNICE BEDE OSOL**

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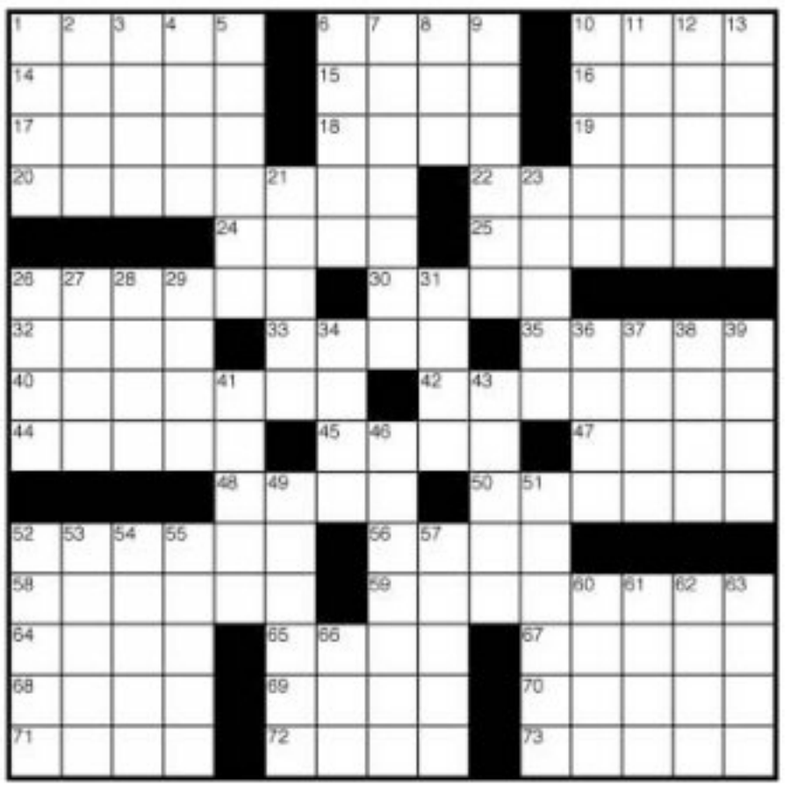

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Young leads Vickless Eagles to thrilling win over the Giants ◗ Juan Castillo's defense rises to occasion, limits NY offense ◗ Birds just two games back in division with six more to play

Vince Young did something Mike Vick hasn't been able to do all season: lead a game-winning drive.

With the game deadlocked at 10, Young confidently marched the Eagles down the field late in the fourth quarter. After chewing up nearly nine minutes on the clock, the backup quarterback hit Riley Cooper in the back of the end zone on the 18th play of the drive for an 8-yard touchdown that gave the Birds a 17-10 victory last night over the Giants. It was the team's first comeback victory this season and also marked the first time they didn't blow a fourth-quarter lead.

Young, who started for an injured Vick, didn't make it easy on himself but still found a way to get it done in the clutch. Young chucked three interceptions and went into halftime with a QB rating of 38.7. But in the fourth, when it mattered most, Young delivered. He went 7-of-9 on the game-winning drive and converted six third downs.

The defense also did its part in the fourth. Jason Babin's strip and sack of Eli Manning was recovered by Derek Landri and iced the game with 1:11 left. Just to add a little insult to injury, LeSean McCoy busted loose on a 60-yard run as the Giants' faithful filed out of the new Meadowlands. The win kept the Birds' slim playoff hopes alive, as they get set to host the New England Patriots on Sunday.

The win improved Young's NFL record as a starter to 31-17. He finished 23-of-36 for 258 yards and tossed a pair of touchdowns.

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▶ Vince Young kept the Eagles' season alive with a huge win over the Giants.

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▶ Tuko is from High Falls, N.Y.

New York state of mind

Folisho Tuko crossed the finish line yesterday in two hours, 19 minutes and 14 seconds to win the men's race. He took home a grand prize of $3,500. Mariska Kramer won the women's race (2:35:46).

Sixers owner clocks his best Marathon time

Joshua Harris took part in the Philadelphia Marathon yesterday and clocked a personal best time.

Harris, the leader of the Sixers' new ownership group, finished the 26.2-mile course in three hours and 48 seconds. The Sixers also gave all participants — more than 27,000 — a complimentary ticket to an upcoming game.

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Phils bolster depth by acquiring Wigginton

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Wigginton hit 15 home runs in 2011 Can play first, third and outfield

With fans busy paying attention to names like Jonathan Papelbon and Jimmy Rollins, Ruben Amaro has been working diligently to fix another part of the Phillies: the bench.

After signing Jim Thome to a one-year deal on Nov. 4, Amaro has now traded for Colorado utilityman Ty Wigginton. The Phillies will send cash or a player to be named later to Denver for the services of the 34-year-old veteran.

Wigginton, who hit .242 with 15 home runs and 47 RBI in 2011, is a career .265 hitter in 10 seasons with the Mets, Pirates, Orioles, Astros and Rockies.

The Phillies presumably like Wigginton for a number of reasons. For starters, he is a right-handed bat with some pop. Wigginton owns a career .274 average against lefties. He's also hit 158 career home runs, including 22 with the Orioles in 2010.

Wigginton is also versatile. He has the ability to play both corner infield spots, and can fill in at second base and in the outfield. Wigginton can be considered as insurance for health-deprived Ryan Howard and Placido Polanco, and will be an asset off the bench. METRO

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▶ Ty Wigginton is the Phillies' newest addition.

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Iconic racing team heads to the street

Second most successful team in Formula One will begin producing luxury supercars McLaren to build 200-mph street-legal car this year

McLaren, the U.K. motor-racing team that trails only Ferrari in Formula One victories, is switching its pursuit of the Italian icon from the track to the road.

McLaren yesterday opened a $80 million factory that will allow mass production of a 200-mph street-legal model selling for $266,000 as it seeks to translate sporting success into 4,000 car sales a year.

Only a handful of teams in the history of motor sport have managed to leverage triumphs on the track to build a manufacturing business. Ferrari's cross-over success remains unique among competitors in Formula One, the world's richest race-car series with annual revenue of $1.1 billion and a television audience averaging 50 million for each grand prix.

McLaren will "find it tough because there are lots of well-established brands already in that sports-car space," said Mark Jenkins, a professor of business strategy at Britain's Cranfield University. "Motor sport technology is very, very high-end, and to move into road-car production you've got to be far more low-cost."

Tony Jardine, who was a manager at McLaren before Executive Chairman Ron Dennis took over in 1981 and also worked for Lotus and Brabham, reckons the new MP4-12C model, which will sell at 35 dealers worldwide, including nine in the U.S., is a winner.

Dennis said he's continuing to seek new investment after cutting his stake in McLaren Group, owner of the Formula One team, to 25 percent and spinning off the production-car venture as McLaren Automotive. BLOOMBERG

Supercar's origins

Established by New Zealander Bruce McLaren in 1963, McLaren entered Formula One in 1966 and won its first race in Belgium in 1968. Forays into manufacturing to date have been limited to a venture with one-time investor Mercedes and the F1 supercar, which had a production run of 106 vehicles and was the costliest auto of the 1990s at $840,000. With a 240-mph top speed, it was also the fastest until the Bugatti Veyron in 2005.

When it hits the road

McLaren's new model will arrive in U.S. showrooms by year's end as production accelerates. The company has presold 2,000 cars, with 250 already delivered to European clients from existing facilities.

"McLaren is following the Ferrari path of building a brand around racing and exporting that into the road-car sector," Jenkins said.

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VW still wants Suzuki

Volkswagen rejected efforts by Suzuki to force an end to a 2-year-old partnership that has not yielded a single project.

Suzuki said today that it terminated the cooperation agreement and demanded that VW sell back its 19.9 percent stake in the Japanese manufacturer, threatening to take the dispute to an international court for arbitration.

Volkswagen called the actions "without foundation," reaffirming plans to retain the holding.

"The glass is broken," said Arndt Ellinghorst, a Credit Suisse analyst. "I don't see any reason why VW should not sell its stake back to Suzuki." REUTERS

Revenge of GM's combustion engine

Auto companies, lawmakers bet on electric Not so fast, gas says

At the Chevrolet dealership here, customers want to see and touch the Volt, the gasoline-electric hybrid hailed by enthusiasts as the kind of innovation that could secure the future of General Motors.

But they usually kick the Volt's tires and move on, often to a Cruze. The compact Chevy gets up to 42 miles per gallon, and you can buy two of them for the cost of one $40,000 Volt.

Call it the revenge of the internal combustion engine.

Major automakers and the Obama administration have bet heavily on hybrids and pure electric vehicles. But new and more efficient gas engines are winning on the showroom floor, an inconvenient truth that could slow the acceptance of electric cars.

"They come in to look at a Cruze. They drive a Volt. They go back to the Cruze. It really helps us with sales of the Cruze," said Michael Mosser, general manager of Suburban Chevrolet of Ann Arbor.

The plug-in Volt has become General Motors' high-mileage halo car. But the hybrid has also been outsold by its simpler sibling by 200 to 1. Globally, GM has sold about 5,000 Volts versus 1 million Cruzes.

"It's naive to think that the world is going to switch tomorrow to EVs," said Larry Nitz, GM's executive director for vehicle electrification. REUTERS

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MPG still rising

Meanwhile, new cars with traditional engines are showing striking fuel efficiency gains thanks to technologies such as turbochargers, direct injection and engines that shut down when the vehicle stops — then spring back to life when the accelerator is pressed.

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